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REMARKS

25X1 1. The Soviet fighter units in Austria were previously believed to be located as follows:

1 fighter division headquarters in Aspern with 1 regiment each at Aspern, Deutsch Wagram and Parndorf airfields;
1 fighter division headquarters in Wiener Neustadt with the pertaining 3 regiments at the same location; the third regiment was believed to be a cadre unit.

This assumption of the location of Soviet fighter units has now been disproved by Soviet documents recently obtained. On the basis of this information, the individual fighter units are now believed to be located as follows:

10th Gds Ftr Hq with the 111th and 113th Gds Ftr Regts in Wiener Neustadt and the 112th Gds Ftr Regt in Parndorf;
the headquarters of another fighter division is probably stationed in Aspern; the division is superior to 1 regiment each in Aspern and Deutsch Wagram.

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- b. According to all observations made, the Fifty-Ninth Air Army has 3 fighter divisions, including 1 in Hungary, 1 at Wiener Neustadt airfield, and 1 in the area east of Vienna. Besides Wiener Neustadt and Parndorf airfields, only Aspern and Deutsch Wagram airfields are occupied by fighter units. This tends to indicate that the units at the latter two airfields belong to one division. The division headquarters is believed to be located in Aspern. A third regiment of this division has not been determined.

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